



# Memorandum

**TO: HONORABLE MAYOR  
AND CITY COUNCIL**

**FROM: TONI J. TABER, CMC**

**SUBJECT: CERTIFICATION OF THE  
RESULTS OF THE PRIMARY  
SPECIAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION  
HELD APRIL 7, 2015**

**DATE: April 16, 2015**

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## **RECOMMENDATION**

Adoption of a resolution declaring the results of the April 7, 2015 Primary Special Municipal Election pursuant to Elections Code Section 15400.

## **OUTCOME**

The resolution will certify the results of the April 7, 2015 Primary Special Election. In addition, the resolution determines the following candidates with the highest number of votes in the Primary Special Election for City Council District 4 for the Run-off election to be held on June 23, 2015 are: Tim Orozco and Manh Nguyen.

## **BACKGROUND**

The City Council adopted Resolution No. 77226 on December 2, 2014 calling for a Special Municipal Election to be held on April 7, 2015, and a Special Run-Off Election to be held on June 13, 2015 if no candidate received more than 50% of the vote, for the purpose of filling an unexpected vacancy in City Council District 4 with a term ending December 31, 2016.

All Municipal Elections are consolidated with the County of Santa Clara and held in accordance with established procedures governing the conduct of elections. The April 7, 2015 Primary Special Election was conducted and the County has certified the results of the election and provided to this Office the Certificate of Election Results, Official Results and Statement of Votes for the contest held in the City of San Jose. (See Certificate of Election Results attached as Exhibit A).

## **ANALYSIS**

On April 14, 2015, the Santa Clara County Registrar of Voters issued the Certification of Election Results for the April 7, 2015 Primary Special Election for City Council District 4 with the following results:

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Candidate	Votes Received	Write In Votes Received	TOTAL	Percentage of Votes Received
Tim Orozco	2,241	2	2,243	22.01%
Manh Nguyen	1,943	4	1,947	19.11%
Lan Diep	1,919	15	1,934	18.98%
Bob Dhillon	1,157	0	1,157	11.35%
Khoa Nguyen	793	1	794	7.79%
Alex Torres	578	1	579	5.68%
Rudy Nasol	502	2	504	4.95%
Johnny Lee	388	0	388	3.80%
Allen Ming Chiu	325	0	325	3.19%
Thelma Boac	319	1	320	3.14%

### **PUBLIC OUTREACH/INTEREST**

This action does not meet the criteria set below; however, the Office of the City Clerk will post the item on the City's Website for the April 28, 2015 City Council Agenda. Registered voters in the City of San José received all appropriate ballot materials for the election.

- ☐ **Criterion 1:** Requires Council action on the use of public funds equal to \$1 million or greater. **(Required: Website Posting)**
- ☐ **Criterion 2:** Adoption of a new or revised policy that may have implications for public health, safety, quality of life, or financial/economic vitality of the City. **(Required: E-mail and Website Posting)**
- ☐ **Criterion 3:** Consideration of proposed changes to service delivery, programs, staffing that may have impacts to community services and have been identified by staff, Council, or a Community group that requires special outreach. **(Required: E-mail, Website Posting, Community Meetings, Notice in appropriate newspapers)**

### **COORDINATION**

This memo was coordinated with the Office of the City Attorney.



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